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S. 1742

To amend the Food Stamp Act of 1977 to exclude certain military housing allowances from the eligibility requirements for food stamps.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

September 21, 2005

Mr. Roberts introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

A BILL

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1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 3 SECTION 1. EXCLUSION OF CERTAIN MILITARY HOUSING 4 ALLOWANCES. 5 Section 5(d)(1) of the Food Stamp Act of 1977 (7 U.S.C. 2014(d)(1)) is amended— (1) in paragraph (17), by striking "and" at the 7 8 end; and 9 (2) by inserting before the period at the end the

following: ", and (19) for the purpose of determining

the eligibility of a child who is a member of the household of a member of a uniformed service, the amount of a basic allowance provided under section 403 of title 37, United States Code, on behalf of the member of a uniformed service for housing that is acquired or constructed under subchapter IV of chapter 169 of title 10, United States Code".

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